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In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements (copy enclosed) dated October 27, 2005, applicant is submitting herewith the executed Declaration of Tor Rønnestad.

Applicant also takes this opportunity to submit an executed Power of Attorney. The Power of Attorney document has been executed by the assignee of the above-identified application, by virtue an assignment of the above-identified application by the inventor. A copy of the assignment is enclosed.

Applicant believes that the application is now in condition for examination, and respectfully requests consideration of the pending claims. If the Examiner has any questions, or if a telephone interview would in any way advance prosecution of the

application, please contact the undersigned agent of record.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNIT STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/10/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/10/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/10/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 09/19/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/10/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 06/10/2005

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

 Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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